

PROCEEDINGS BOARD
MAYOR AND CITY
ALDERMEN, APRIL

junction Restraining Graveling
Ulman Ave.—School Bond Is-
sue of \$67,000 Sold to .
Mississippi Bond Co.

A regular meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis was held at the City Hall on Saturday, the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1926, at 6 o'clock p. m.

There were present G. Y. Blaize, Mayor; W. C. Sick, R. S. Blaize, Edw. Heitzman, L. C. Carver, Aldermen; Albert Jones, City Marshal; S. J. Ladner, Secretary.

The minutes of previous meeting

The reports of various city officers were read and approved. The financial report was ordered spread upon the minutes, the others filed.

CITY OF RAY ST. LOUIS—MERCHANTS BANK AND TRUST COMPANY.
CITY DEPOSITORY.

STATEMENT FOR MARCH, 1926.

(CITY FUND).

Balance on hand last report.....	\$6,744.41
3 31-26. Rec'd T. Adams, R. W.	
1750. med ins. fees	17.95
3 31-26. Rec'd G. Y. Blazie, R. W.	
1751. fines	2.00
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1751. Rec'd Edwin Prevost,	

R. W. 1782, imp. stock fees	20.00
3 31-26 Rec'd F. H. Egloff, R. W. 1783, taxes	301.45
3 31-26 Interest first quarter, 1926	20.45
	\$7106.35
Credits	
By warrants to Board	4193.15
Balance	2913.15
	\$7106.35
COLORED SCHOOL FUND.	
Balance on hand last report	389.55
3 31-26 Interest first quarter 1926	1.85

Credits -	\$388.4
By warrants to Board	0
Balance	\$388.4
MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT FUND	\$388.4
Balance on hand last report	24.1
3 31 26. Interest first quarter 1926	1
	\$24.1
Credits -	
By warrants to Board	

Balance	24.	\$24.
SCHOOL FUND.		
Balance on hand last report		1,500.
3-31-26. Rec'd F. H. Bignon, R. W.		50.
1784. taxes		6.
3-31-26. Interest first quarter 1926		
		\$1,662.
Credits		
By warrants to Board		1,487.
Balance		174.
		\$1,662.
SCHOOL BUILDING FUND.		

3.31.26. Interest first quarter 1926	\$047
Credits	
By warrants to Board	177
Balance	409
	\$047

SPECIAL SCHOOL BUILDING FUND	
Balance on hand last report	\$11,979
3 31-26 Reed's F. H. Egloff, R. W.	62
1785, taxes	35
3 31-26 Interest first quarter 1926	
	\$11,078
Credits—	
By warrants to Board	11,078

Balance	11,075
	\$11,075
SINKING BOND FUND	
Balance on hand last report	\$11,055
3 31 26. Rec'd F. H. Egloff, R. W. 1780, taxes	1,581
3 31 26. Interest first quarter 1920	38

	\$12,677
Credits--	
By warrants to Board -----	12,677
Balance -----	\$12,677

STREET FUND.		
Balance on hand last report --	---	\$3
3-31-26. Interest first quarter 1926		
		\$3
Credits--		

By warrants to Board	-----	3
Balance	-----	
WATERWORKS FUND		
Balance on hand last report	-----	82
3 31-26, Rec'd F. H. Egloff, R. W.	-----	
1787, taxes	-----	14
3 31-26, Rec'd F. H. Egloff, R. W.	-----	

3-31-26	Rec'd P. H. Dwyer	5
1788	water rent	
3-31-26	Interest first quarter 1926	\$1.03
Credits—		
	By warrants to Board	30
		73

City Fund	\$ 2,91
Colored School Fund	38
Municipal Improvement Fund	2
	17

School Fund	46
School Building Fund	11.07
Special School Building Fund	12.67
Sinking Bond Fund	2
Street Fund	78
Waterworks Fund	

Respectfully submitted to the Honorable

Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the
of Bay St Louis, Mississippi, this
1st day of April, 1926.
Merchants Bank & Trust Company.
W. V. YATES, Cashier
Moved by Alderman R. S. Bla
seconded by Alderman I. C. Car

seconded by Alderman E. J. Connelley and carried that the bid of Merchants Bank and Trust Company for a city depository be accepted for a term of two years at 2 per cent interest on daily balance.

Moved by Alderman R. S. Blaisdell, seconded by Alderman L. C. Carver, and carried, that the city reimburse Mr. Aug. Schiro the amount of \$13.50, erroneously assessed.

Moved by Alderman R. S. Blais, seconded by Alderman Edw. Healey, that the order previously ordered by this Board condemning the graveled Ulman avenue be withdrawn and repealed and the Board

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The Sea Coast Echo

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SOMETIMES.

"If times are hard, and you feel blue, Think of the others, worrying, too; Just because your trials are many, Don't think the rest of us haven't any. Life is made up of smiles and tears, Joys and sorrows, mixed with fears; And though to us it seems one-sided, Trouble is pretty well divided. If we could look in every heart, We'd find that each one has its part, And those who travel Fortune's road Sometimes carry the biggest load."

Wonder if those naughty movie films have a bad moral effect on the censors.

Girls who pick out model husbands should insist that they be working models.

Some Senators may have their political bark wrecked on Muscle Shoals yet.

Some men join lodges out of love for their fellow men, others to establish an alibi.

There are still a few old-fashioned folks who have never been on an operating table.

Ole Buck tells of a neighbor whose ambition is to become a tester in a mattress factory.

In this age of machinery, it is not surprising that we have so many machine-made officials.

The average mortal lets few temptations escape him, even though he may resist a few.

Some develop a magnetic personality without having all their wearing apparel charged.

Automobiles outnumber the locomotives, but this does not imply that the majority is always right.

We had almost forgotten it until an announcement by a lady lecturer reminded us of the Mormon menace.

The ape-like attitude of people in the matter of fashions might be used as a strong argument for evolution.

Fourteen class 1 railroads operated at a loss during 1925, but this was an improvement over 1924, when 20 roads showed deficits.

Henry Ford's penchant for antiques has not as yet impelled him to make any extensive collections of early "small cars."

Washington policemen have been ordered to treat prisoners with more consideration. If they must curb them, of course it should be done cautiously.

A communication received signed "F. O. B." will be published if the gentleman will send in his full name. Of course, we know his address is Detroit.

Jack Dempsey is writing a series of articles on "My Split With Kearns." It is understood that they split some sizeable sums before Jack became too proud to fight.

While Roy A. McNeil languishes in jail at Phoenix, Ariz., for bigamy, his two wives live happily together in the same house. Which brings to mind someone's immortal remark: "Ain't women funny?"

Because she chopped her husband's body in 215 separate and distinct pieces, a newspaper declares Alexia Prokofieff, aged 27, "the worst wife in Russia." The dispatch fails to state who counted the pieces.

Before being awarded diplomas in the home economics course at the Michigan State College at East Lansing, the co-eds must eat an appreciable quantity of the food they prepare, as a part of their final examination. Truly an exacting test.

Inmates of the jails in the City of Mexico are to be paraded through the streets as an added humiliation. If that should become the custom in the United States, the sob sisters would strew their line of march with roses.

Adherents of a queer sect in the mountains of New Mexico torture themselves by walking over cactus and sharp stones during the Easter season, as a religious duty. Still some supposedly civilized people among us seem to believe that the Almighty is pleased to see us make ourselves miserable all the time.

Lina Cavalieri, former operatic soprano, at the age of 52 is conducting a beauty parlor in Paris with 60 assistants. She retired from the stage with a fortune, and declares she is running her present establishment not to make money, but because she is "interested in women." Despite her age, Lina is still easy to look upon.

OLD NEWSPAPER SAVED.

The newspaper that "scorped the world" by being the first to print the Declaration of Independence in full has been revived, after a suspension of several years. It is the Virginia Gazette, of Williamsburg, established in 1736, the first newspaper ever published south of the Potomac river.

The revival is due to a resolution of the National Editorial Association calling for its restoration because of its historic past. Local interests recently resurrected the paper and it is now edited by students of the journalism school at the College of William and Mary.

While devoted in part to local and general news of the week, the new Gazette makes a specialty of publishing odd historic items of which a letter from Thomas Jefferson, telling of his proposal of marriage to Rebecca Burwell, is an interesting sample. Jefferson wrote:

"I had dressed up in my own mind such thoughts as occurred to me in moving language as I knew how. But good God! When I had an opportunity of venting them, a few broken sentences uttered in great disorder, and interrupted with pauses of uncommon length were the only visible marks of my strange confusion."

It may be added that Rebecca married another, but Jefferson found a devoted wife in Mrs. Martha Skelton, a handsome widow of 23, whom he married in 1772.

In securing the restoration of the Virginia Gazette, the National Editorial Association has performed a truly patriotic service.

TALE OF AN ELEPHANT.

Sympathetic souls who have worried over the impending fate of Tex, the circus elephant, may now breathe easier, for he is not going to be killed at all.

Ever since a press dispatch announced that an elephant attached to a circus in Arkansas had been condemned to death by electrocution, after killing several trainers, the unusual story has been widely published and commented upon. Pictures of the animal on an imagined death platform with wires leading to his ponderous head and legs were also shown. Tex became almost as famous a criminal as Gerald Chapman.

The humane societies and periodicals began to protest against the manner of his proposed execution, pointing out that a horrible mess might be made of it and the animal thus cruelly tortured. After all the agitation, President Horton, of the American Humane Association, has received a telegram from a representative of that organization, who investigated the case, which reads:

"Killing of elephant story is an advertising scheme. Wherever they take him they announce his viciousness and necessity for killing him, solely to attract crowds. Animal is not dangerous and is well cared for." We are glad to know this. To tell the truth, we have worried somewhat about old Tex ourselves.

A REPORTER'S STRATEGY.

Few occupations require the exercise of quick thinking and action so often as that of a metropolitan newspaper reporter, as was illustrated by the strategy of Mitchell Elkins, reporter and cameraman of the Richmond Times-Dispatch, a few nights ago.

State Senator Alfred C. Smith was expelled from the Virginia Legislature by a vote taken at a night session, and Elkins was on hand to take flashlight photographs of the scene which followed the announcement of the vote. He "shot" two pictures of Smith surrounded by his friends at the crucial moment, but was immediately besieged by an angry crowd of Smith adherents, who demanded that the plates be destroyed.

Elkins fought his way to the door, where he had had the forethought to station a boy messenger, to whom he slipped the photographic plates. The boy sped to the newspaper office, while Elkins "surrendered" to the crowd and pretended to hand over the offensive negatives, which were promptly smashed. But the plates Elkins gave up were only blanks, and the pictures appeared in the morning issue of his newspaper.

It is safe to say that the remarks of the Smith crowd upon realizing how they had been outwitted would hardly have been fit to print.

BUSINESS BRIEFS.

Japan plants 750,000 camphor trees yearly to replace those used up.

One concern will spend \$15,000,000 in developing gas and electric companies in Indiana this year.

Leading mail order houses report an increased trade over that enjoyed last year.

President Calles announced that foreigners would be welcomed in business in Mexico, provided they co-operate with Mexicans.

The Florida Public Service Company will extend its facilities through an expenditure of \$4,000,000 during 1926.

Foreign trade of the Philippines increased more than \$24,000,000 during 1925.

LADY GOVERNOR TALKS.

Governor Nellie Tayloe Ross, of Wyoming, has displayed a lot of good, sound sense since she has occupied the position of chief executive of her State, and has not evinced a disposition to unduly seek the limelight.

Therefore, her views on problems of the day, particularly those concerning women, are worthy of consideration. In a recent address to an organization of Girl Scouts, of which she is an honorary member, she said:

"I am old-fashioned enough to believe that no career for women is as glorious or satisfying as that which wifehood and motherhood offers, and it is there she fulfills her highest destiny."

But Mrs. Ross also defended the modern girl and declared that modern dress is not only more sensible, but promotes health and grace. She said that the girl of today is fortunate in living in an age when "practically every restraint is removed that could repress a girl's happy spirit or handicap her progress and she should use her liberty as a means of development into the finest type of womanhood."

"It appears that Governor Ross has sanely sensed the situation of the modern girl, and that her conclusions and advice are eminently sound."

PRINCELY GIFT PLANNED.

Poor children of Westchester county, New York, will one day have a magnificent school and training institution through the munificent gift promised by John E. Andrus in an announcement made recently on his 85th birthday.

Mr. Andrus is head of a great chemical company at Yonkers and is estimated to be worth about \$100,000,000, of which he proposes to give 45 per cent for the endowment of the institution, to be established after his death.

For many years Mr. Andrus has been the recipient of large gifts for worthy purposes. He started in life poor, and relates that he made his first dollar selling fish to Horace Greely, 7 years ago. Now that he is nearing the end of his career his thoughts have turned to those who may find it difficult to get a start without a helping hand.

The institution which his millions are to establish will be a splendid monument to his useful life and his thoughtfulness for thousands of children yet unborn.

Let's see; whose turn is it to be premier of France next week?

Fatted calves are no longer reserved exclusively for prodigal sons.

The cut-in dance was probably invented by a dandy with a razor.

One may get a fair knowledge of human nature by trying to lead a calf.

The largest dam and waterpower station in Europe will be built near Stalzburg, Germany.

MANY NEW POWER FARMS.

From widely separated sections of the country come reports of lively interest being taken in the movement to extend the benefits of electrical power to farms and farm homes.

Rural electrification projects are being established in seventeen States from New England to California and from Minnesota to Alabama. Ten New Hampshire farms are to be included in the first of a series of experimental "systems" of New York built 126 miles of rural electric lines last year. In co-operation with the Farm Bureau and Extension Service, the Alabama Power Company has authorized 255 miles of these lines in Alabama already been constructed.

So great is the interest in this development in the South that a three-day rural electrification conference will be held in April at Montgomery, in which it is expected that nearly a thousand farmers will participate. Thus the farmers of the nation are rapidly adopting this new aid to progress, which far-seeing men believe will revolutionize agriculture and raise the standards of farm living immeasurably within the next few years.

RELIC OF LINCOLN.

When President Abraham Lincoln, mortally wounded, was carried from Ford's Theatre to the home of William Peterson, a tailor, living across the street, he was placed in the room or 13-year-old Pauline Peterson, where he breathed his last after the following morning.

During the night the blood-stained head of the martyred President had rested on the child's square feather pillow. The pillow was reverently preserved by the boy's daughter, who afterwards became Mrs. Wenzel, and upon her death a few weeks ago she willed the prized relic to Mrs. Jessie F. Webster, a school teacher. With it went an affidavit prepared by Mrs. Wenzel before her death, as follows:

"This is to certify that the pillow now in the possession of Jessie F. Webster, of the city of Washington, D. C., is the same pillow on which President Abraham Lincoln died, April 15, 1865. His death occurred in my room in my old home, No. 516 Tenth street, Washington, D. C."

The pillow, now yellow with age, still bears its crimson stains and is perhaps the most intimate memento of a national tragedy now in existence. It should be preserved in the National Museum or other appropriate repository.

SLAPS AT FILM ACTORS.

Alma Whitaker Tells Just Why the Screen Players Fall Short, Compared to Stage Conferees—Other Writers Peeved.

By JACK WOOLBRIDGE.
Hollywood, Cal.—The newspaper and magazine writers in film land are administering some spanking to a few dozen motion picture stars for their lack of manners and assumed "high-browedness." With the plaudits of a nation ringing in their ears for their work as entertainers, a few players have assumed the attitude of "I'll grant you an interview at my pleasure" and have ignored appointments and denied ordinary requests.

The result is that the writers put their heads together, related a few of their personal experiences, and now things are happening. Names of players hitherto seen constantly in print appear to be doomed for a period of rest, and some of the polite, well-bred younger set will come to the fore.

Alma Whitaker, one of the most widely known feature writers in Los Angeles, after a series of exasperating experiences with the "movie" crowd, "bawled out" the whole crowd in a full-page article a few days ago, which has made the film colony seethe. Under the caption "Hollywood Stage Actor Excel His Conferees of the Screen in Brains and Deportment," Miss Whitaker wrote:

"Stage actresses are, in a general way, much more finished and infinitely more interesting intellectually than picture actresses. They probably have to be.

"When we come to the picture field, we find that the more interesting, attractive minds among them come from the stage. Oh, there are plenty of sweet, dear, pretty girls in pictures, but the most of them are the sweetest being the much-loved Mary Pickford, but Mary herself would be the last to claim intellectual superiority.

Gloria Swanson has a quick mind and sweet manners, but she is not highly educated. Betty Bronson is a dear child who should go to school some more. Marie Prevost is quick, alert, but happily low-brow.

Clara Bow is a frank little roughneck, and education and refinement would ruin her personality. "Eleanor Boardman is capable of going far if a superiority complex does not intervene. Leatrice Joy is quick, talented, but not highly educated. Ruth Miller is 'sweet,' and so is Brian. Claire Windsor is sweet, but not burdened with culture.

"One observes that the men—who could be called educated and intellectual in the picture realm nearly all come from the stage. Percy Mervin Stone, Joseph Mitchell, Ernest and David Torrence, Warner Baxter, Jean Hersholt and Bert Lytell—these men all have minds and some of them have manners. Charlie Chaplin has a mind, all right, and is a spasmatically informed, clever but unschooled. His brother, Syd, is a happy lowbrow.

Douglas Fairbanks has a capable mind, but not scholarly—intelligent rather than intellectual. His manners are 'chummy.' Adolphe Menjou is limited but makes the most of what he has. Valentino is nobody's fool, but the polish of his manners is very much on the surface. Antonio Moreno, who was a poor boy, is naturally a gentleman and is intellectual enough. Tom Mix is a semi-polished roughneck."

CHANCERY SUMMONS.

The State of Mississippi.
To Maurice E. Williams.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 4th Monday of April, A. D. 1926, to defend the suit No. 2888, in said court, of Corinne Williams, wherein you are a defendant.
This 18th day of March, A. D. 1926.
A. A. KERGOSEN, Clerk.
By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

CHANCERY SUMMONS.

The State of Mississippi.
To Thomas H. Haskins, if living, and, if dead, his unknown heirs at law or legal representatives; Truxton Lovett, if living, and, if dead, his unknown heirs at law or legal representatives; John F. Dumas, if living, and, if dead, his unknown heirs at law or legal representatives; if any of Pearl and Blanche Cornelia sons having or claiming any right, title or interest in and to the following described land:
A tract of land beginning at a stake set 720.0 feet east of the half section post on the south line of Section 34, T. 8 S., R. 14 W., in Hancock County, Mississippi, and running thence N. 5 degrees East, 330 feet; thence E. 37.7 feet; thence S. 5 degrees West, 132 feet; thence S. 14 degrees West, to the place of beginning; West, 327.6 feet, more or less, and being in the SW 1/4 of Section 34, T. 8 S., R. 14 W., in Hancock County, Mississippi.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 4th Monday of April, A. D. 1926, to defend the suit No. 2888, in said court, of Fred William Engelhardt, being a suit to quiet and confirm complainant's title to said land, wherein you are a defendant.
This 31st day of March, A. D. 1926.
A. A. KERGOSEN, Clerk.
By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, at the office of the Clerk of said Board, not later than 12 o'clock A. M., on for building of a new Bayou Lacroix Bridge, as per plans and specifications on file in the office of the Clerk. Each bid to be accompanied by cash or certified check in the sum of \$100.00. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
This 5th day of March, A. D. 1926.
A. A. KERGOSEN, Clerk.
By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

CHANCERY SUMMONS.

The State of Mississippi.
To Jack Conner.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 4th Monday of April, A. D. 1926, to defend the suit No. 2889, in said court, of M. A. Magee, wherein you are a defendant.
This 3rd day of March, A. D. 1926.
A. A. KERGOSEN, Clerk.
By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION FOR HANCOCK COUNTY.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 1, 2 and 3, 1926, there will be held at the Courthouse, City of Bay St. Louis, Miss., at 10 o'clock A. M., an examination for white applicants, who wish to secure a license to teach in Hancock County.
Also, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, April 2, 3 and 4, 1926, an examination for colored applicants will be held at the above named place and will start at 10 A. M. with paper, pencil and pen.
Respectfully,
T. E. KELLAR,
Co. Sup't. Edges, Hancock County.

CHANCERY SUMMONS.

The State of Mississippi.
To Steve Johnson.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 4th Monday of April, A. D. 1926, to defend the suit No. 2890, in said court, of Eliza Johnson, wherein you are a defendant.
This 28th day of March, A. D. 1926.
A. A. KERGOSEN, Clerk.
By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

CHANCERY SUMMONS.

The State of Mississippi.
To Jos. Meyer.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 4th Monday of April, A. D. 1926, to defend the suit No. 2876, in said court, of Robert Meyer et al., wherein you are a defendant.
This 16th day of March, A. D. 1926.
A. A. KERGOSEN, Clerk.
By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

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CHANCERY SUMMONS.

The State of Mississippi.
To Robert Montgomery and Charles Hodge, if living, and, if dead, their unknown heirs at law or devisees, and all persons having or claiming any interest in the following described land and taxes on the 2nd day of March, 1880, to-wit:
The SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 10 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit: Cornelia Williams, claiming a right, title or equitable interest in the entire SE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of said Section 1, Township 10 South, Range 14 West, Hancock County, Mississippi.
You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the 4th Monday of April, A. D. 1926, to defend the suit No. 2876, in said court, of Robert Meyer et al., wherein you are a defendant.
This 16th day of March, A. D. 1926.
A. A. KERGOSEN, Clerk.
By A. G. FAYRE, D. C.

AMENDMENT TO CHARTER.

Proposed amendment to the Charter of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, adopted.
Section 1. That, in addition to the powers conferred on said city, the said city, through its Board of Mayor and Aldermen, are authorized and empowered to construct and maintain parks and playgrounds, skating rink or rinks, and other places or things of rest or amusement, providing the said places or things are constructed and maintained on land of the city.
Sec. 2. That this amendment take effect from and after its approval and record thereof as by law required.
Approved in open Board, this 6th day of March, 1926.
Attest: S. J. LADNER, Mayor.
G. Y. FLATZ, Secretary.

PROCEEDINGS BOARD MAYOR AND CITY ALDERMEN, APRIL

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against the graveling of said avenue at the last meeting of this Board and this Board was not against the graveling of said avenue and that a hearing should be had on said petition before taking action.

G. Y. BLAIZE, Mayor.

The above motion or order to permit the Board of Supervisors to gravel Ulman street was carried over the Mayor's veto by the affirmative vote of Aldermen Heitzman, Carver, Blaize and Sick.

Moved by Alderman R. S. Blaize, seconded by Alderman L. C. Carver, and carried, that the following resolution be adopted:

Whereas, Section 3, Chapter 209 of the Laws of the State of Mississippi of 1918, provided that no warrants shall be issued by any county municipality unless there is sufficient money in the particular fund from which the allowance is made to pay such warrants;

Whereas the City of Bay St. Louis has no money in the City and School Funds to pay current expenses, and

Whereas Chapter 178 of the Laws of 1916 empower all municipalities to borrow money pending the collection of taxes of the current year, it is necessary to borrow money to pay all current expenses from said funds.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and empowered to borrow \$3,000.00 City Fund, \$3,000.00 School Fund, or so much thereof as may be necessary, and deposit same to the credit of said funds, in such amounts as he thinks proper; that the Mayor and other city officials are required by the lender be and is hereby authorized and empowered to sign a note or other obligations, obligating the city to pay such amounts not later than the 15th day of February, 1927.

Approved in open Board, this the 3rd day of April, 1926.

S. J. LADNER, Secretary.

Moved by Alderman R. S. Blaize, seconded by Alderman Edw. Heitzman, that the bid of Mississippi Mortgage and Bond Company be and is hereby accepted, which bid is as follows:

Gulfport, Miss., 4-3-26.

To the City Council,

Bay St. Louis, Miss.

For \$47,000.00 legally issued school bonds of Bay St. Louis, Miss., delivered to us in Bay St. Louis, dated February 1st, 1926, and to mature serially, to average approximately five years, said bonds to be of denominations of \$1,000.00, bearing interest at the rate of 5 1/2 percent per annum, payable semi-annually, both principal and interest, payable at some bank in New York, we will pay par and a premium of \$1.40, or \$5.00, if payable in Bay St. Louis, Miss. Bonds to be printed by us, if validation is required we to pay cost.

This bid is subject to the approval of legality of said bonds and the taxation provision relating thereto, by our attorney or an attorney to be agreed upon by agreement with us, if validation is required we to pay cost.

As evidence of our good faith, we enclose herewith check in the amount of \$500.00, to be held by you uncashed until legality of bonds has been approved. When said bonds are so approved the check is to apply as part payment, in the event we refuse to carry out the terms of this proposal, check is to apply as part payment.

In the event we refuse to carry out the terms of this proposal check is to be forfeited as liquidated damages. This check to be returned to us promptly if our attorney declines to approve legality of bonds, or if our bid is submitted for immediate action is not accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

Mississippi Mortgage and Bond Co.

(Signed) LEO W. SEAL, President.

Moved by Alderman W. C. Sick, seconded by Alderman L. C. Carver, and carried, that the city advertise the sale of old steam fire engine.

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AN ORDINANCE.

AN ORDINANCE providing for traffic regulation on the streets and highways of the City of Bay St. Louis, for the welfare and safety of the traveling public, and for the penalty for the violation thereof.

First: Be it ordained by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Bay St. Louis, that the public thoroughfare used by vehicles, known as Main street, from the Beach or Front street to Second street, be and is hereby declared a one-way street; that all vehicles of every kind and character shall only travel eastward on said street from the Beach to Second street; that it shall be unlawful for any person to use said Main street traveling westward.

Second: That the Universal Traffic Signals placed in the streets and highways

by the City are to be observed by the traveling public in the following manner:

(a) That all persons driving, operating or controlling any vehicle shall pass to the right of said signals.

(b) That all persons driving, operating or controlling any vehicle shall stop at the signals that indicate stop.

(c) That all persons driving, operating or controlling any vehicle shall stop at the places where said signals indicate stop.

All persons driving, operating or controlling any vehicle on the city streets or highways are to observe these signals in every way in which the signals, lines and signs indicate, and shall at all times turn to the right of all signals on corners.

Third: That all automobiles and other vehicles shall park in between the lines made on the streets by the city in the manner made by said lines; that no automobile or other vehicle shall park at the corners or places where parking is prohibited.

Fourth: That all persons violating any provision in this ordinance are guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not more than \$25.00 for each offense.

Fifth: That this ordinance take effect and be in force from and after May 1st, 1926.

G. Y. BLAIZE, Mayor.

Attest: S. J. LADNER, Secretary.

Moved by Alderman R. S. Blaize, seconded by Alderman Edw. Heitzman and carried that the City Secretary be and is hereby authorized and directed to pay all freight and express bills where freight or express is at the depot for the City of Bay St. Louis.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen, in session at its April meeting, adopted the following resolution:

The City of Bay St. Louis offers a reward of \$25.00 for the arrest and conviction of anyone caught breaking the rubies in our street control signals.

G. Y. BLAIZE, Mayor.

The following bills were allowed, approved and ordered paid out of the following funds:

CITY FUND.

G. Y. Blaize, Mayor's salary.....25.00

W. C. Sick, Alderman, salary.....5.00

Edw. Heitzman, Alderman, salary.....5.00

R. S. Blaize, Alderman, salary.....5.00

L. C. Carver, Alderman, salary.....5.00

Edw. Heitzman, City Marshal, salary.....10.00

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PRESS PICKINGS.

BY REICUAS.

Paying the Piper.

If you disregard the laws of society, try to run things to suit your own whims, you will find that you will earn your bread, you are, sooner or later, coming to grief. When the piper comes you must "pay the piper." In other words, you are obliged to take your medicine, even though it be bitter of taste.

Gerald Chapman, pandit and killer, paid the debt on Tuesday last, up in Connecticut. "Thoughts that would not come to him before, crowded his brain at the last and his soul winced at the consequences of his acts. His boldness vanished when the shadow of the scaffold darkened the path at his feet; with trembling and fear he pleaded for mercy—that boon of which he knew naught while running the gamut of his follies.

The "Piper" demands pay from all who transgress; some with their lives, others with their liberty, and those who elude the hand of the law, they also pay; aye, and dearly, for conscience tortures the soul of the hidden guilt, coming in the dead of night when the world's at rest, burning into the heart of the man with the relentless fires of hell.

A great thinker once wrote of man: "Poor, vain, deluded mortal, created by the majesty and semblance of God Himself, who, for a momentary pleasure, forfeits a life glorious, beautiful and eternal; a mind to be compared to the sublime, fancy created Grecian gods; rendering avices most glaring; cursing nature's unending, yet most just laws, which leads him to a premature grave and an eternal hell."

It is not that the writer would presume upon the pulpit, but one cannot but think how utterly foolish of man not to know that if he transgresses, he must account to the "Piper."

Amite's Dr. Murphy.

Presiding as acting mayor of Amite, Dr. F. N. Murphy cast a vote that killed the existing blue law in that town. In reference to which the doctor says in part: "It is time for more of our executives to display common sense and not try to legislate morality into the people. I think we have ample laws to govern all classes that our legislative bodies can handle."

This is simply a case of broad-mindedness on the part of the doctor, for, as many others, realizes that there is no harm in one staying at home "sipping some neighborly cup of tea" when attending some innocent amusement.

Blue laws fitted perfectly in New England during the days of witchery, but they are misplaced in these modern times, and do little toward controlling the public morals. Many towns have an urgent need of a Dr. Murphy.

Putsching.

Revolutions are taking another phase; they are called "Putsch" over in Czechoslovakia. Recently six ringleaders of the pushing gang were arrested; they had evidently failed to fix their pull before attempting "the push."

In sympathy with their brothers of Czechoslovakia, the world may shortly hear of the Russians organizing a "Shovesky" at Petrograd.

Changing Tactics.

Uncle Sam or the other Volks-station who have the whip hand, are doing very much on the order of the present who couldn't break the boy of eating a certain thing said to be good for his juvenile tummy, they are going to "put something in it." These "powers" have decided that as the folks want beer "they will fix it so that just a little too much will be a signal for the family physician to park at the front gate for a while to relieve Pa of the nausea.

Making the beverage a 25 per cent will cause about the same feeling that a fellow has when he attempts a sea passage in rough weather; that, however, seldom cures the water crossing habit, and we'll have to wait to see the effect in this line.

Mal de Malt sufferers will simply sail on their own ponds a la old Home-brew.

They do say that Pabst and Anheuser-Busch have spent a great deal of well earned ice cream money trying to succeed along the 375 per cent line. It might be a fair idea for them to freeze onto that idea cream hard and salt it down, rather than melt the whole works.

Poetry, Pistol, Perdition.

"I'm standing on the threshold of eternity at last," As reckless of the future as I have "been of the past."

Thus wrote another of the kind that never read what Davy Crockett said about "Looking before you leap," a young mechanic in New York resorted to the six-gun last Wednesday in order to rid the world of his troubles, his sweetheart and self.

Who would you blame it on? We wonder if this lad was ever told by a fond parent that perdition awaited the killer. Possibly he believed, as many misguided ones, that the grave ends it all. Gosh! it's a hot awakening!

Kitchen Moves Up.

From the windy city of Chicago comes the news that a clinic is being held by the doctors of architecture for the purpose of dissecting the HOME or diagnosing its ailment. They are determined to make an effort at curing the house of man of whatever it suffers.

Earl H. Reed, head of the Armour Technical Institute, says that the kitchen needs promotion; it has remained too long at the far end of the domicile; it should be rightfully placed just where the parlor now fronts, with a street window as the "proper decoration. Cooks with "Cop" inclinations will welcome the new position.

Read says that the people are thinking too much of appearances for the satisfaction of style and allowing themselves no comfort. He declares we should live more in our own back yards, where we see all the things that we really own instead of only what passes through the streets for others.

Well, every sane man realizes that the kitchen is the BEST room in the house, the most agreeable and satisfying odors emanate therefrom, the gastronomic and epicurean marvels have their origin there; in short, the stuff that makes he-man fit to live with, that brings smiles to take the place of frowns, is born only in a good kitchen. Then, why not show your appreciation, and move up?

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Jellies Turn Bandits.

A news item states that a drug store in the Crescent City was held up by two dapper young men who bore a striking resemblance to the order of "Drug Store Cowboys," they flourished wild weapons and robbed right and left, then departed in a sedan.

We may now look for the temptation to strike the Flappers, who are noted for not allowing the "Cowboys" to put anything over on them. Presently the world will receive news that a hold-up was perpetrated by two 80-pound Janes, and they will realize that women will have equality at any cost.

CHURCH SERVICES AT DeLISLE.

Rev. Father Haas, of St. Augustine Seminary, Bay St. Louis, Delivers Sermon at Church in Harrison County—Special Program for Occasion.

DeLisle, Miss., April 9, 1926.

Despite unusually inclement weather of Friday night, Rev. Father Haas, of St. Augustine Seminary, Bay St. Louis, braved the elements to travel to DeLisle and delivered a most impressive sermon, one that found ready lodgment in the hearts and minds of every hearer. Father Haas possessed a happy faculty of being both a practical and beautiful speaker, his subject, "The Cross From Calvary." The sentiments easily carried and won. The sermon was one that will long be remembered and the lesson not without its effect.

Father Haas is not only a fervent and eloquent speaker, but his talents are combined with a beautiful tenor voice. In all humility he accepted the invitation of Rev. Father R. J. Corbin, resident pastor, to sing one of the lamentations of the Prophet Jeremiah, over the ruins of Jerusalem. His tenor voice made every note of melody resound with fullness and brought out the solemn beauty of that famous Gregorian chant so well recommended by the late Pope Pius X, who accepted the dedication of one of Father Corbin's masses, "Missa Solemnis," in modern but liturgical music.

Father Haas' zeal is best marked by the fact he had to travel 22 miles through the stormy weather that evening, to deliver a sermon that belongs to the Apostolic mission. There were a splendid attendance from the body of local Catholics; however, it was especially noted that some twenty non-Catholics were among the number of worshippers, who arrived at a later hour and manifested their good faith attending Good Friday services. May the blessing of Almighty God be upon all who endeavored and succeeded in attending, thus showing their good will and faith.

AN ASSISTANT.

TO KILL MOSQUITOES.

An item carried by

